

Saturday, August 24, 1872.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Sheriff.

We are hereby authorized to announce the name of GILES MERRILL as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Yuma County, at the approaching November election.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF of the County of Yuma, at the approaching November election.  
H. E. LINDSEY.

**BURGLARY.**—Three Indians, named Choray, Caiavajae and Pajijo, on last Wednesday night, attempted to rob the Catholic Church. To accomplish their purpose, a window was broken, through which two of the Government pets entered, while the third one remained outside to watch. Shortly after a party of Mexicans was seen coming towards the church, when the alarm was given to the burglars, and they escaped. Five or six shots were fired at them by the Mexicans, but without effect. The day following they were arrested by Deputy Sheriff Townsend on suspicion, and upon being closely questioned, they confessed to their guilt.

We learn that H. E. Baker will move into his commodious store on the first of October, and that he is now selling out his old stock at reduced prices to open his new stock, complete.

**FOUND DEAD.**—A man known by the name of Whisky Smith, a German by birth, was found dead yesterday afternoon near the office of the Colorado Steam Navigation Company. He was drunk when he went there and laid in the shade of a tree. He attracted but little attention until the sun had reached him, and when looked to life had departed. Coroner Mix summoned a jury and an inquest was held. The verdict was "died from the effects of bad whisky and heat."

**BILLIARD TABLES.**—This is an article which is much needed here, or at least new cushions to those we have, by reference to the card of G. G. Bradt, agent, it will be seen that Delaney's Patent Wire Cushions can be had by addressing him, Fifth street, San Diego.

The card of Chas. Wolfshiemer & Co., corner Fifth and H streets, San Diego, dealers in cigars, tobacco, pipes, etc., will be found elsewhere.

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Pursuant to an adjournment, the Board of Supervisors met on Monday, the 19th, at 9 a. m.

Present—Geo. Martin, Chairman; Supervisor Redondo, District Attorney Gray and Jas. S. Spann, Clerk. Absent—John Duff.

On motion, the County Treasurer presented the Tax Roll of the county, and upon the duplicate being compared with the original Tax Roll, it was accepted as correct.

The Sheriff presented his bond in the sum of \$25,000 as Tax Collector. The same having been read, the District Attorney objected to its acceptance as not coming within the terms as prescribed by law, as shown upon its face. The responsibility of the sureties having been compared with the assessment roll, it was ordered by the Board that said bond be and is declared insufficient, and that the Clerk give notice to said Sheriff of the action of the Board in the premises.

The Board then adjourned to Tuesday, at 9 a. m.

Tuesday, 9 a. m.—The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Same members present.

The claim of C. L. Minor for the publication of the tabular statement of the Public Administrator, for \$108, was ordered paid by warrant on the Territorial County Contingent Fund.

On motion, it was ordered that the Clerk of the Board make out a bill of costs for the care of Wm. Gertrude, indicted for murder and brought to this county on a change of venue from Yavapai county, and such other costs as were created by the payment of indigent witnesses on the part of the Territory, as ordered by the Court.

The Board adjourned to Wednesday, at 10 a. m.

Wednesday, 10 a. m.—Board met. Same members present.

On motion, the Clerk was ordered to notify Supervisor Duff that his presence before the Board as a member is required at once.

Board adjourned to Thursday, 9 a. m.

Thursday, 9 a. m.—Board met. Same members present.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Friday, at 9 a. m.

Friday, 9 a. m.—Board met. Same members present.

The duplicate Tax Roll was examined and corrected.

On motion, the Clerk was ordered to notify the Tax Collector that the Tax Roll was now ready to be turned over to him for collection upon his filing of a good and sufficient bond in the sum of twenty-two thousand dollars.

On motion, the Board then adjourned to 9 a. m., Saturday.

**TEAM DEPARTURES.**—D. Neahr, during the present week, dispatched the following teams for Tucson and way stations:

Jesus Molina, with 4,000 pounds citizen freight; James Peck, 14,000 citizen and Government; Buckhart & Fredley, 31,000.

Wm. B. Hooper & Co.'s train left this week with 50,000 pounds Government freight for Tucson.

## THE COURTS.

District Court—JUDGE PORTER.

IN CHAMBERS.

MONDAY, August 15th.

Territory of Arizona vs. Francisco Preciado and Jose Mendoza—libel—on habeas corpus. The return of the writ coming on to be heard in pursuance of the order, and it appearing that the commitment is insufficient in law to hold defendants, ordered that they be discharged from custody upon payment of costs.

TUESDAY, August 20th.

Territory of Arizona vs. Wm. Sam—manslaughter—on habeas corpus. Testimony read and the prisoner remanded to the custody of the Sheriff without hearing argument.

**PERSONAL.**—Dr. Bendell, Superintendent of Indian Affairs in this Territory, arrived here last Saturday evening via San Diego. He will leave for Prescott by the first steamer going up.

Judge DeForest Porter returned from San Francisco by last Saturday's stage. The Judge, since his arrival, has been busy in hearing cases brought before him on writs of habeas corpus.

Brother Wasson, of the Citizen, passed through town yesterday on his way to San Diego.

Dr. R. A. Wilbur, Indian Agent at Tucson, with two of the Indian delegation from Washington, left here by stage for Tucson last Tuesday evening.

Rev. Cook and lady, with one of the Indian delegation, will leave here by to-night's stage.

Two more of the Indian grandees will still remain here, to await the departure of a steamboat to go to Prescott.

Smith is in town. Put him out.

**RAPID GROWTH.**—That part of San Diego known as Horton's Addition is noted for its rapid growth and solid improvement. For further particulars see advertisement of A. F. Horton, in another column.

## River News.

The Cocopah, Capt. Melton, left this port for Ehrenberg on the 18th at 7 a. m., and returned on the 20th, at 5 p. m., towing barge both ways. She left for Port Isabel on the 21st, before daylight, with Barge No. 1 in tow, taking a detachment of the 21st Infantry of 160 men, and nine officers accompanied by their families.

The Mohave, Capt. Thorn, from Port Isabel, arrived here on the 21st at 1 p. m., with Barge No. 2 in tow, with first of cargo from the steamer Newbern. She left at 3 o'clock on the same day for Port Isabel.

**ACCIDENT.**—The steamboat Mohave, Capt. Thorn, met with a slight accident at Port Isabel, on the 18th. The boat was caught in a tide rip, losing her smoke stack, the top part of the pilot house and slightly damaging the boiler deck. The damages were temporarily repaired, a smoke stack made of bucket planks was erected, and she arrived here on the 21st.

**THANKS.**—We are indebted to Ethan Allen, Esq., Chairman of the National Committee of Liberal Republicans, for a correct and admirable portrait of Horace Greeley. The picture is the size of life, giving the head and bust, and is printed on a sheet 24 by 30 inches, with a fac-simile of Mr. Greeley's autograph.

**ASSESSMENT ROLL.**—The assessment roll of the County of Yuma for the fiscal year 1872, represents property to the amount of \$409,136 as follows: Real estate, \$30,890; improvements, \$90,045; personal property, \$288,201. Total tax, 11,047.68.

**FORWARDING BUSINESS.**—The firm of Culverwell & Jorres, foot of F street, San Diego, pay particular attention to the forwarding of goods to this Territory. Our business men would do well to read their advertisement in another column.

**GOOD ROAD.**—We are requested by D. Gibson to inform the traveling public generally that the road owned by Mr. Jaeger, leading to San Diego, is one of the best in the State of California.

**SHOWER.**—Yesterday morning, at about 2 o'clock, we were blessed with a shower which materially cooled the atmosphere. Give us some more.

**NEW APPOINTMENT.**—Our friend Frank Townsend, the City Marshal, was appointed Deputy Sheriff and Jailor vice John Markle, resigned.

**PIRE AT PORT ISABEL.**—The storehouse of the C. S. N. Co., at Port Isabel, was consumed by fire on the night of the 17th. Cause unknown.